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SUBJ: COMMUNIQUE FROM ARAB DETERRENT FORCES

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1. HEREWITH INFORMAL TRANSLATION OF COMMUNIQUE REFERRED TO
IN REFTEL:

"AS THE FIGHTING HAS STOPPED IN THE SOUTH AS A RESULT OF
SECURITY COUNCIL RESOLUTION 425, AND AS INTERNATIONAL EMERGENCY
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FORCES HAVE STARTED ENTERING THE SOUTH AFTER THE CEASE-FIRE,
AND AS THE QUESTION OF LIBERATING THE SOUTH FROM ISRAELI
OCCUPATION HAS BECOME A STRICTLY LEBANESE POLITICAL MATTER,
ANY MILITARY INTERFERENCE OR ESCALATION IN THE SOUTH (AFTER
UN INTERVENTION) CONSTITUTES A BASIC OBSTACLE TO THE EFFORTS
AIMING AT EXPEDITING ISRAELI WITHDRAWAL FROM SOUTH LEBANON.

"HENCE, ADF COMMAND HAS DECIDED:

A. NO MILITARY CAPABILITY (TAQA), WHETHER MEN OR EQUIPMENT,
IS TO BE ALLOWED INTO LEBANON. ALL ADF UNITS ARE REQUESTED TO
IMPLEMENT THIS PROHIBITION EFFECTIVE TODAY.

B. ALL KINDS OF ASSISTANCE, WHETHER MEDICINES, FOODS OR CLOTHING,
WILL NOT BE ALLOWED EXCEPT THROUGH COMPETENT OFFICIAL
GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENTS AND WITH ADF'S PRIOR APPROVAL AND AFTER
DETERMINING THEIR SOURCE AND DESTINATION. ADF HAD ALLOWED
EARLIER THIS WEEK (ENTRY OF) TWO SUPPLY CONVOYS CONSISTING OF
FOODS, BLANKETS, MEDICINES AND A MEDICAL TEAM.

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